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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE SWAPO/SADF CLASH ALONG CAPRIVI STRIP

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1. REFTELS INDICATE POSSIBILITY OF SWAPO/SADF CLASH ALONG CAPRIVI STRIP. SUCH A CLASH, REGARDLESS OF WHO STARTED IT, COULD SERIOUSLY UNDERMINE OUR EFFORTS TO GET THE NAMIBIAN QUESTION MOVING AGAIN.
2. TO FORESTALL THIS, INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD BE SENT FOR AN APPROPRIATE APPROACH TO THE ZAMBIANS CONVEYING OUR CONCERN AND ASKING THEM TO WARN SWAPO AGAINST ATTACKING THE SADF FROM ZAMBIAN TERRITORY. A PARALLEL APPROACH TO THE SAG SHOULD ALSO BE CONSIDERED.
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